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In re the Application of: **KIMURA, Masatoshi, et al.**

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For. **GATEWAY CARD, GATEWAY DEVICE, METHOD OF CONTROLLING
GATEWAY CARD, AND COMPUTER PRODUCT**

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-captioned patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments being on page 23 of this paper.

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